

## Message Text

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O R 210141Z AUG 78  
FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7853  
INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK  
USMISSION GENEVA  
AMCONSUL HONG KONG  
AMEMBASSY MANILA  
AMEMBASSY OTTAWA  
INS/CO WASHDC

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PASS TO HA/ORM INS/CO FOR CODEP (COEXM)  
BANGKOK PASS TO BARNES HONG KONG PASS TO OIC/INS

E.O.11652: N/A  
TAGS: SREF  
SUBJECT: REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR BOAT CASES FOR PERIOD  
ENDING 18 AUG 1978

REF: 77 STATE 266178, STATE 44126, STATE 54073, STATE 201026

SITUATION REPORT AS OF COB 18 AUG 1978 AS FOLLOWS:

- A. BOAT REFUGEE POPULATION AS OF 8/11/77 3417.
- B. CUMULATIVE ARRIVALS SINCE 8/11/77 20805 (61)
- C. CUMULATIVE POPULATION 24222.
- D. CUMULATIVE NUMBER OF BOAT REFUGEES APPROVED BY INS UNDER  
IPP, LRP, AND CE SINCE 8/11/77:
  - 1. CUMULATIVE NUMBER APPROVED UNDER IPP 6402.
  - 2. CUMULATIVE NUMBER APPROVED UNDER LRP 2717.
  - 3. CUMULATIVE NUMBER APPROVED UNDER CE 169.
- E. TOTAL NUMBER APPROVED BY INS FOR WHOM BIOS SENT TO ACVA BUT  
SPONSORSHIP NOT RECEIVED BY POST:

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- 1. NUMBER UNDER IPP 360.
- 2. NUMBER UNDER LRP 1691.
- 3. NUMBER UNDER CE -  
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TOTAL NUMBER FOR WHOM ASSURANCE NOT RECEIVED AFTER TWO MONTHS
- 1. NUMBER UNDER IPP 360.
- 2. NUMBER UNDER LRP 316.

3. NUMBER UNDER CE -

G. TOTAL NUMBER OF INS APPROVED REFUGEES STILL IN COUNTRY OF FIRST ASYLUM FOR WHOM SPONSORSHIP ASSURANCE RECEIVED:

1. NUMBER UNDER IPP 740.

2. NUMBER UNDER LRP 1026.

3. NUMBER UNDER CE -

H. CUMULATIVE DEPARTURES TO US SINCE 8/11/77

1. NUMBER UNDER IPP 5302 (61)

2. NUMBER UNDER LRP -

3. NUMBER UNDER CE 169.

4. NUMBER UNDER IMMIGRANT VISAS 125.

5. NUMBER UNDER HUMANITARIAN PAROLE 1.

I. CUMULATIVE DEPARTURES TO THIRD COUNTRY SINCE 8/11/77:

BELGIUM 12; FRANCE 408 (15); AUSTRALIA 3845 (276)

CANADA 171; DENMARK 26; GERMANY 12; NEW ZEALAND 219;

SWITZERLAND 4; HOLLAND 35; HONG KONG 1; TOTAL 4733.

J. CURRENT REFUGEE POPULATION IN BOAT CAMPS 13,892.

K. OF WHICH NUMBER KNOWN TO BE AWAITING PETITIONS FOR IMMIGRANT VISAS 200.

L. RESIDUAL REFUGEE POPULATION IN BOAT CAMPS WITHOUT RESETTLEMENT OFFER 9875.

2. A. ARRIVALS DOWN DRASTICALLY FROM PREVIOUS MONTHS. THIS POSSIBLY ATTRIBUTABLE TO MONSOON MOVING SOUTH. ONE REFUGEE BOAT SEEKING ASYLUM LOCALLY KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN TOWED 150 MILES BACK OUT TO SEA. VESSEL EVENTUALLY ADMITTED FOR T.A. MALAYSIA, HOWEVER.  
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LOW ARRIVAL RATE NOT FELT TO BE REFLECTIVE OF ANY NEW GOM POLICY OR ATTITUDE.

B. INS INTERVIEWS BEGIN AT KOTA BARU ON MONDAY, 21 AUGUST.  
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